in claim 42, line 3, substitute "whose" with --having--; in claim 42, line 3, insert --that-- between "means" and "are"; and in claim 43, line 1, substitute "A" with --The--.

## **IN THE ABSTRACT**:

in line 11 (the next to last line), delete "means".

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## Allowable Subject Matter

- 2. Claims 26-35 and 38-43 are allowed.
- 3. The following is an examiner's statement of reasons for allowance: regarding claims 26 and 38, the prior art of record fails to teach or fairly suggest either alone or in combination thereof a portable electronic object and method for using the portable electronic object wherein the control members are a tactile crystal including at least two electrodes,

wherein the portable object includes

a member for detecting activation of each of the at least two electrodes, the detection member being connected to a management unit;

and wherein a control unit is arranged for deactivating a control member processing member when simultaneous activation of the at least two electrodes is detected;

regarding claim 28, the prior art of record fails to teach or fairly suggest either alone or in combination thereof a portable electronic object further including